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Subject: Update to the Resource Based Relative Value Scale (RBRVS) and Vendor Rate Increase for Family Planning

Effective with dates of service on or after July 1, 2001, the Medical Assistance Administration (MAA) will implement:

- The updated Medicare Physician Fee schedule Data Base (MPFSDB) Year 2001 relative value units (RVUs);
- The Year 2001 additions of Current Procedural Terminology (CPT™) codes:
- Health Care Financing Administration Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Level II codes;
- Technical changes; and
- A legislatively appropriated two and one-tenth percent (2.1%) vendor increase.

Maximum Allowable Fees

In updating the fee schedule with Year 2001 RVUs and clinical lab fees, MAA maintained overall budget neutrality. The 2001-2003 Biennium Appropriations Act authorizes this two and one-tenth percent (2.1%) vendor rate increase for MAA feefor-service programs. The maximum allowable fees have been adjusted to reflect the changes listed above.

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Technical Changes

Maximum allowable fees have been established for the following codes, which were previously paid at Acquisition Cost:

HCPCS Code	Description	Maximum Allowable Fee
J1055	Depo-Provera Injection, 150 mg	\$40.79
A4261	Cervical Cap	\$46.00
1111J*	Lunelle, Monthly Injection	\$19.96

^{*}State-unique code

Attached are updated replacement pages 13-16 for MAA's <u>Family Planning Billing Instructions</u>, dated April 2000. To obtain this fee schedule electronically, go to MAA's website at http://maa.dshs.wa.gov.

Please bill MAA your usual and customary fee.